

JOURNAL OF THE SENATE

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The Senate convened at 1:00 o'clock P. M., pursuant to adjournment on Friday, May 8, 1953.

The President in the Chair.

The roll was called and the following Senators answered to their names:

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

—37.

A quorum present.

Senator Fraser was excused from attendance upon the session today.

Prayer was offered by the Senate Chaplain, Reverend W. E. Hall.

The reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

The Senate daily Journal of Wednesday, May 6, 1953, was further corrected as follows:

Page 27, column 1, line 8, strike out the name "Houston" and insert in lieu thereof the name "Houghton"

Also—

Page 31, column 1, line 7, after the word "third" and before the word "in" insert the word "time"

And as further corrected was approved.

The Senate daily Journal of Thursday, May 7, 1953, was further corrected as follows:

Page 1, column 1, line 32, following the figure "3," and before the word "insert" insert the following " , counting from the bottom of the column,"

Also—

Page 6, column 2, between lines 9 and 10, counting from the bottom of the column, insert the following:

"By Senator Black—"

Also—

Page 8, column 2, line 14, counting from the bottom of the column, strike out the figures "379" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "397"

And as further corrected was approved.

The Senate daily Journal of Friday, May 8, 1953, was corrected as follows:

Page 7, column 2, line 23, counting from the bottom of the column, strike out "S. R. No. 491" and insert in lieu thereof "S. B. No. 491"

Also—

Page 18, column 2, line 14, strike out the name "Leaird".

Also—

Page 18, column 2, line 9, strike out the figures "36" and insert in lieu thereof the figures "35".

And as corrected was approved.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES

Senator Dayton, Chairman of the Committee on Appropriations, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 137—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 238, Florida Statutes, 1951, relating to teachers retirement system, by adding thereto sections providing additional pension allowance of three dollars per month for each year of past service up to and including fifteen years, not to exceed forty five dollars per month, for teachers retired on or before December 31, 1952 and providing for appropriation therefore from the General Revenue Fund.

—and the Committee recommends that the Committee Substitute therefor, as reported herewith, pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report, with the recommended Committee Substitute attached thereto, was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Pope, Chairman of the Committee on Publicity and Advertising, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

H. B. No. 60—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 286.17, Florida Statutes, providing additional duties of the Florida State Advertising Commission in promoting and developing ports in the State of Florida.

—and recommends that the same pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Gautier (28th), Chairman of the Committee on Labor and Industry, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 453—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 469.04, Florida Statutes, 1949, relating to the examination of persons engaged or engaging in the business or work of installing plumbing or house drainage: providing for the examination of applicants desiring to engage in or work at the business of plumbing: providing for the fees to be paid for issuance of a certificate for Master Plumbers, employing plumbers and journeyman plumbers: repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act.

—and recommends that the same pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Melvin, Chairman of the Committee on Public Health, reported that the Committee had carefully considered the following Bill:

S. B. No. 500—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to masseur and masseuse and the regulation of the practice thereof and amending parts of Sections 480.01, 480.02, and 480.06, Florida Statutes.

—and recommends that the same not pass.

And the Bill contained in the preceding report was laid on the table.

ENGROSSING REPORTS

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred, with Senate amendments, for engrossing—

S. B. No. 43—A bill to be entitled An Act to protect the interest of the public with respect to insurance agents and solicitors; to regulate the conduct of the business of insurance agents and solicitors: to designate the State Treasurer as State Insurance Commissioner; to provide for the examining and licensing of insurance agents or solicitors by the Insurance

Commissioner; to vest necessary power and authority in the Insurance Commissioner to administer this Act, and to that end to adopt and enforce all necessary and proper rules and regulations; to define certain terms used herein; to provide for the denial, revocation or suspension of such licenses; to prohibit coercion in the placing of insurance by persons, firms or corporations as herein specified; to provide penalties for violation of any provisions of this Act; to provide for judicial review of the acts of the Insurance Commissioner; to provide for certain revisions in Chapter 627, Florida Statutes, 1951; providing for an appropriation; to repeal all other laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith.

—begs leave to report that the Senate amendments have been incorporated in the Bill and the same is returned herewith, as engrossed.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk
of the Senate.

And Senate Bill No. 43, contained in the above report was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred, with Senate amendments, for engrossing—

S. B. No. 281—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to election laws, amending Section 101.36, Florida Statutes, by providing and setting out requirements to be followed in the use of voting machines by counties which have adopted such machines; providing for cities at their option to use such machines and granting authority to county commissioners to permit such use when requested by municipalities; validating elections heretofore held in any municipality in accordance with this Act and providing the effective date of this Act.

—begs leave to report that the Senate amendments have been incorporated in the Bill and the same is returned herewith, as engrossed.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk
of the Senate.

And Senate Bill No. 281, contained in the above report was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Your Engrossing Clerk to whom was referred, with Senate amendment, for engrossing—

S. B. No. 272—A bill to be entitled An Act designating and defining Florida State Day.

—begs leave to report that the Senate amendment has been incorporated in the Bill and the same is returned herewith, as engrossed.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk
of the Senate.

And Senate Bill No. 272, contained in the above report was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

ENROLLING REPORTS

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

S. B. No. 373	S. B. No. 166
S. B. No. 394	S. B. No. 165
S. B. No. 411	S. B. No. 28
S. B. No. 167	S. B. No. 177
S. B. No. 509	

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and

by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on May 8, 1953.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk
of the Senate.

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

H. B. No. 27	H. B. No. 697
H. B. No. 31	H. B. No. 707
H. B. No. 45	H. B. No. 708
H. B. No. 74	H. B. No. 711
H. B. No. 289	H. B. No. 739
H. B. No. 301	H. B. No. 740
H. B. No. 351	H. B. No. 743
H. B. No. 352	H. B. No. 744
H. B. No. 692	H. B. No. 747
H. B. No. 693	H. B. No. 753
H. B. No. 694	H. B. No. 754
H. B. No. 695	H. B. No. 755
H. B. No. 696	H. C. R. No. 50

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on May 8, 1953.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk
of the Senate.

Your Enrolling Clerk, to whom was referred—

H. B. No. 23	H. B. No. 652
H. B. No. 28	H. B. No. 653
H. B. No. 29	H. B. No. 655
H. B. No. 379	H. B. No. 656
H. B. No. 442	H. B. No. 669
H. B. No. 443	H. B. No. 685
H. B. No. 548	H. B. No. 688
H. B. No. 561	H. B. No. 71
H. B. No. 591	

—begs leave to report same have been properly enrolled, signed by the President and Secretary of the Senate, and by the Speaker and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives, and presented to the Governor on May 8, 1953.

Very respectfully,

ROBT. W. DAVIS,
Secretary of the Senate as
Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk
of the Senate.

Senator Branch moved that Senate Bill No. 524 be recalled from the Committee on Labor and Industry.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

By unanimous consent Senator Branch withdrew Senate Bill No. 524.

Senator Melvin moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return House Bill No. 780 to the Senate for further consideration.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Dayton moved that Senate Bill No. 651 be recalled from the Committee on Citrus Fruits and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

Senator Dayton announced this his name was inadvertently placed on Senate Bill No. 651 as the introducer thereof and requested that the Committee on Citrus Fruits be shown as the introducer of Senate Bill No. 651.

It was so ordered.

Senator Ripley moved that House Bill No. 864 be indefinitely postponed.

Which was agreed to and House Bill No. 864 was indefinitely postponed.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS, MEMORIALS, BILLS AND JOINT RESOLUTIONS

By Senator Carlton—

S. B. No. 672—A bill to be entitled An Act to ratify, validate and confirm the payment of salaries of the several members of the Board of Public Instruction of Hardee County from April 1, 1950 to December 31, 1950, under a Special Act of the Legislature of the State of Florida applicable to Hardee County, and to acquit, discharge and relieve members of said board from April 1, 1950, to December 31, 1950, from all claims of Hardee County and the State of Florida for salaries paid to and received by members of said board during said period of time.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 672 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 672 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 672 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 672 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 672 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 672 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 672 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Carlton—

S. B. No. 673—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Wauchula to adopt and put into effect group insurance or other plan or plans for the protection and benefit of all employees and/or officials of said city; to provide the

payment therefor out of funds of City of Wauchula or through deductions from wages, salaries or other moneys due insured.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 673 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 673 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 673 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Carlton moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 673 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 673 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 673 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 673 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Sturgis—

S. B. No. 674—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission to hold the official meetings at any place in the State.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Senator Sturgis—

S. B. No. 675—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Sections 7 and 13 of Chapter 26328, Laws of Florida, 1949; relating to small claims courts in certain counties; by raising the filing fee and providing procedure for writs of execution.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

By Senator Sturgis—

Senate Joint Resolution No. 676:

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO ARTICLE IX OF THE FLORIDA CONSTITUTION BY ADDING A NEW SECTION THERETO TO BE NUMBERED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE, TO PROVIDE THAT EXCEPT BY THREE-FOURTHS VOTE OF THE MEMBERSHIP OF BOTH BRANCHES OF THE LEGISLATURE, NO STATE FUNDS SHALL BE EXPENDED TO PAY OBLIGATIONS INCURRED TO CONSTRUCT, PURCHASE OR MAINTAIN ANY TOLL ROAD.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA:

That Article IX of the Florida Constitution be amended by adding an additional section thereto to be numbered by the Secretary of State, and the same is hereby agreed to and shall be submitted to the electors of the State of Florida for ratification or rejection at the general election to be held

on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1954, as follows:

Except by an act of the Legislature passed by vote of three-fourths of the membership of each branch, state funds shall not be expended to pay any obligation incurred by any agency authorized by the Legislature to construct toll roads, or to purchase, maintain, service, repair, or reconstruct such roads.

Which was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments.

By Senator Bronson—

S. B. No. 677—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Subsection (4) of Section 212.08, Florida Statutes, relating to tax on sales, use and certain other transactions, including magazine subscriptions within the specific exemptions.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Black—

S. B. No. 678—A bill to be entitled An Act to declare, designate, and establish a certain State road.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 678 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 678 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 678 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 678 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 678 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 678 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Floyd—

S. B. No. 679—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that the members of the Board of County Commissioners of Liberty County shall be nominated by a vote of the electors of the county at large, and providing for a referendum election.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 679 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 679 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 679 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 679 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 679 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 679 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Floyd—

S. B. No. 680—A bill to be entitled An Act requiring an election in Liberty County for the purpose of deciding whether voting machines shall be used in the county.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 680 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 680 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Floyd moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 680 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 680 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 680 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 680 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Dayton—

S. B. No. 681—A bill to be entitled An Act restricting and limiting the keeping, possessing and exhibiting of poisonous or venomous reptiles without permit or licenses providing for the issuance of such permits and licenses in certain cases and prescribing regulations and restrictions for the keeping, possessing and exhibiting of poisonous and venomous reptiles requiring the posting of bond by exhibitors of poisonous and venomous reptiles and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 682—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to motor vehicle drivers license and providing for examination and re-examination of persons deemed incompetent or unqualified to drive; subjecting persons failing to pass to loss of license.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Senator Dayton—

S. B. No. 683—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the control of certain animals, insects, fish and fowl, prohibiting the release or running at large thereof, and providing a penalty for the violation of the provisions of this Act.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

By Senator Dayton—

S. B. No. 684—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the licensing and regulation of the exhibiting of wild animals.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Pope—

S. B. No. 685—A bill to be entitled An Act making it unlawful to print or otherwise produce racing wall charts and scratch sheets or to transport, sell or possess the same and providing penalties therefor.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Legislation.

By Senator Pope—

S. B. No. 686—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Board of County Commissioners of St. Johns County, Florida, to provide for local improvements outside the corporate limits of any incorporated city or town: to issue and sell certificates of indebtedness and to use the proceeds thereof to pay the costs of such local improvements in whole or in part: to levy and collect special assessments on land specially benefited including homestead property: and to enforce the lien of such special assessments upon failure of the owners of such land to pay same.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 686 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 686 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 686 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pope moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 686 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 686 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 686 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 686 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Johns—

S. B. No. 687—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 121.05, Florida Statutes, relating to state officers and employees retirement system; providing for the election by a member thereof who is a husband, upon retiring to accept reduced monthly installment of retirement compensation, the remainder to remain in the retirement fund to create compensation to be payable to his widow upon his death, during her life or widowhood.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Pensions and Claims.

By Senator Douglas—

S. B. No. 688—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Chapter 27084, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951, relating to disposition and use of a certain fund paid from race track funds to the Board of Public Instruction of all counties of this State having a population of not less than 14,500 and not more than 15,000 inhabitants according to the latest official census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Douglas moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 688 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 688 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Douglas moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 688 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 688 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 688 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 688 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By the Committee on Education—

S. B. No. 689—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the teachers' retirement system of the State of Florida: amending Section 238.05, Florida Statutes, 1951, on membership; Subsections (1), (2), (3), (4), and (6) of Section 238.06, Florida Statutes, 1951, on membership application and creditable service and time of making contributions; and Section 238.07, Florida Statutes, 1951, on regular benefits, by adding thereto Subsection (13) denying service retirement allowance to member retiring on or after July 1, 1954, who has not served as a teacher in Florida for ten (10) years.

Which was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

By Senator Gautier (13th)—

S. B. No. 690—A bill to be entitled An Act cancelling all taxes for the years 1952 and 1953 and directing the refund of taxes for the year 1952 and exempting from all future taxation certain leased real property possessed and used by a corporation so long as said property is devoted exclusively to the non-profit purposes of such corporation.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Finance and Taxation.

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 691—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Jacksonville to make appropriations and donations to the Jacksonville Safety Council, a corporation not for profit.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 691 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 691 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 691 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 691 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 691 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 691 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 691 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Ripley—

S. B. No. 692—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that every pension or profit sharing plan and program may continue and income arising therefrom may be accumulated for such time as may be necessary to accomplish the purposes of such plan or program.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "B".

By Senator King—

S. B. No. 693—A bill to be entitled An Act amending the Charter of the City of Lake Alfred, Florida, being Chapter 12958, Special Acts, Laws of Florida of 1927, entitled,

"An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of Lake Alfred, in Polk County, Florida; to create and establish a new municipality to be known as the City of Lake Alfred, Polk County, Florida; to define its territorial boundaries; to provide for its form of government, jurisdiction, powers and privileges, and for the exercise of the same, and to authorize the imposition of penalties for the violation of its ordinances."

So as to grant to the city commission the power to provide more liberal discounts for the payment of taxes prior to the date of delinquency, and so as to change the method of nominating city commissioners by providing for their nomination by petition rather than by caucus as now provided.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 693 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 693 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 693 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 693 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 693 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 693 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 693 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senators Beall, Melvin and Clarke—

S. B. No. 694—A bill to be entitled An Act amending certain Sections of Chapter 476, Florida Statutes, relating to Barbers and the regulation of the Barbering profession.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

By Senator Boyle—

S. B. No. 695—A bill to be entitled An Act to authorize the Board of County Commissioners of Seminole County, Florida, to offer and pay rewards for information leading to the arrest and conviction of any person violating the provisions of any laws of this State prohibiting the dumping of garbage, refuse or rubbish of any kind whatsoever on any public Park, Road, Highway, or private property within said county without the consent of the owner.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to Senate Bill No. 695 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 695 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 695 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Boyle moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 695 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 695 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 695 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Boyle	Clarke	Davis
Baker	Branch	Collins	Dayton
Beall	Bronson	Connor	Douglas
Black	Carlton	Crary	Floyd

Franklin	King	Morrow	Shands
Gautier (28th)	Leaird	Pearce	Sturgis
Gautier (13th)	Lewis	Pope	Tapper
Hodges	Lindler	Ripley	
Houghton	McArthur	Rodgers	
Johnson	Melvin	Rogells	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 695 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 696—A bill to be entitled An Act making designated persons liable for the support of dependents as defined; conferring jurisdiction on the circuit courts and authorizing and prescribing the procedure for civil proceedings in said courts to compel the support of dependents; defining certain defaults as contempt of court and providing punishment therefor; authorizing certain indigent dependents to be represented by the State Department of Public Welfare in such proceedings.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 697—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to municipal corporations amending Section 171.05, Florida Statutes; providing for extending city limits of cities of over ten thousand inhabitants; exempting from the provisions of said section those cities in counties having a population of not less than 70,000 and not more than 80,000 according to the last official census.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 697 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 697 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 697 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 697 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 697 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 697 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 698—A bill to be entitled An Act to appropriate funds for the acquisition and erection of the said Dana Marsh monument at Tomoka State Park.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 699—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to

requiring provisions for payment of salaries or wages to employees of corporations for profit doing business in Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Judiciary "C".

By Senator Gautier (28th)—

S. B. No. 700—A bill to be entitled An Act regulating agreements for the maintenance or personal care for a period of one or more years or for life for a fixed fee; vesting the administration of this Act in the Insurance Commissioner; prescribing prerequisites prior to entering into said agreements and the rights of the parties thereto; prescribing penalties for the violation of this Act and providing the effective date.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Senator Branch—

S. B. No. 701—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 443.04, Florida Statutes 1951, relating to unemployment compensation, by revising the benefit table, and making this Act effective July 1, 1953.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Labor and Industry.

By Senators Hodges, Johns, Melvin, Douglas and Connor—

S. B. No. 702—A bill to be entitled An Act repealing Subsections 9 through 21 of Section 585.34, Florida Statutes, relating to the State Livestock Sanitary Board and Inspection and Transportation of Meats and Meat Products in Florida.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Livestock.

By Senator Branch—

S. B. No. 703—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 320.10, Florida Statutes, to provide additional exemptions as provided therein from the purchase of motor vehicle licenses for all honorary consuls general, consuls, vice consuls and consuls' agents who are designated as such by their respective governments and who are recognized by the United States Government.

Which was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Motor Vehicles.

By Senator Melvin—

S. B. No. 704—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the Boards of County Commissioners in all counties in Florida having a population of not more than 18,600 or less than 18,300, according to the last official census, to expend county road and bridge funds for the acquisition, construction and maintenance of county public parks.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 704 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 704 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 704 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 704 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 704 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Bronson	Davis	Gautier (13th)
Baker	Carlton	Dayton	Hodges
Beall	Clarke	Douglas	Houghton
Black	Collins	Floyd	Johnson
Boyle	Connor	Franklin	King
Branch	Crary	Gautier (28th)	Leaird

Lewis	Morrow	Rodgers	Tapper
Lindler	Pearce	Rogells	
McArthur	Pope	Shands	
Melvin	Ripley	Sturgis	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 704 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By Senators King and Carlton—

S. B. No. 705—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 26.11, Florida Statutes, which section relates to the number of Judges in the Tenth Judicial Circuit by providing for an additional Circuit Judge in said Circuit; fixing his powers, duties and compensation; and providing for residence.

Which was read the first time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 705 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 705 was read the second time by title only.

Senator King moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 705 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 705 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 705 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So Senate Bill No. 705 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

MESSAGES FROM THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has concurred in Senate Amendment to—

By Messrs. Ayres and Bryant of Marion, Boyd and Duncan of Lake, Getzen of Sumter, Varn of Hernando and Gleaton of Citrus—

H. B. No. 717—A bill to be entitled An Act providing for the appointment and salary of secretaries for each of the circuit judges of the Fifth Judicial Circuit of Florida, embracing Citrus, Hernando, Lake, Marion and Sumter Counties, and providing that a part of the salary of the secretary of each judge shall be paid from the general revenue fund of such counties in the proportion that the population of each county bears to the total population of such circuit as determined by the last preceding state or federal census, whichever shall be later; making the same a county purpose; making an annual appropriation therefor; repealing all laws

in conflict herewith and providing for the effective date hereof.

which amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 1 (typewritten bill) strike out the figures: "1951" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "1953"

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida.

May 8, 1953

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Senator Johnson—

S. B. No. 577—A bill to be entitled An Act providing that the provisions of Chapter 175, Florida Statutes, 1951, fixing a maximum pension of one hundred dollars per month payable from the Firemen's Relief and Pension Fund of the City of Quincy, Florida, created thereunder shall be inapplicable to said city; providing for maximum allowable pension of one hundred fifty dollars per month and providing that in all other respects said Chapter 175, Florida Statutes, 1951, shall be and remain in full force and effect.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Senator Lindler—

S. B. No. 598—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 8 of Chapter 8993, Laws of Florida, 1921, being an Act to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Lake City, by providing in said Section 8 that said city may acquire by purchase the farmers' market building in Columbia County; to empower the city to lease said building; increasing the borrowing power of the city for the purpose of improving said property and providing for payment of sums so borrowed.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 577 and 598, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 8, 1953.

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Senator Connor—

S. B. No. 579—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section I of Chapter 27295 Laws of Florida, Acts of 1951 relating to An Act providing how all monies paid to the Board of County Commissioners of Citrus County, State of Florida, under the provisions of Chapter 14832, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1931, or any laws amendatory or supplemental thereto or funds substituted therefor, shall be appropriated and spent and giving authority for the expenditure of said monies for each of the fiscal years, after the passage of this Bill, and repealing all laws in conflict with this Act.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 579, contained in the above message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953.

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Senator Branch—

S. B. No. 63—A bill to be entitled An Act defining blind persons, blind made products and services, prohibiting the sale, distribution, or exhibition of any products or services which are purported to be blind made other than as herein defined and providing penalty.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 63, contained in the above message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 572—A bill to be entitled An Act prescribing and authorizing the compensation to be paid to and received by members of the Board of Public Instruction of Pinellas County, Florida, and providing for the payment of expenses of members of such board, and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Senator Morrow—

S. B. No. 555—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide that the judge of the Criminal Court of Record in and for Palm Beach County, Florida, shall devote full time to the duties of such office, and shall not engage in the practice of law during his tenure of office, and fixing the salary of such judge, and to provide for the method of the payment of such salary.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Senator Houghton—

S. B. No. 571—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the Board of Public Instruction of Pinellas County, Florida, to use monies collected for the purpose of building a gymnasium in Special Tax School District No. 3 for the erection and furnishing of a band room, a shower and locker room and related facilities at St. Petersburg High School and repealing all laws in conflict herewith.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 572, 555 and 571, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Senator Melvin—

S. B. No. 596—A bill to be entitled An Act changing the name of the Newman C. Brackin Wayside Park in Okaloosa County to "The Playground Park".

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 596, contained in the above message, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed with amendment—

By Senator Beall—

S. B. No. 549—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the appointment of bailiffs of the Court of Record in and for Escambia County; to provide for their compensation and manner of payment thereof.

Which Amendment reads as follows:

In Section 1, line 1, of the bill, strike out the section and insert the following in lieu thereof:

Section 1. The Judge of the Court of Record in and for Escambia County, shall appoint two (2) bailiffs of the said Court of Record in and for said county who shall be in attendance in said court daily.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bill No. 549, contained in the above message, was read by title, together with the House amendment thereto.

Senator Beall moved that the Senate concur in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 549.

Which was agreed to and the Senate concurred in the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 549.

And Senate Bill No. 549, as amended, was referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Engrossing Clerk, for engrossing, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Senator Branch—

S. B. No. 505—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing and empowering the City of Tampa, Florida, a Municipal Corporation, to convey without consideration to the trustees of the Cigar Manufacturers Association of Tampa, Florida, a non-profit, voluntary association, lots seven (7) and eight (8) in block four (4) of Alice Kelley's Subdivision in Tampa, Florida, as per the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 38 of the Public Records of Hillsborough County, Florida; and authorizing said City of Tampa to provide in the deed of conveyance such appropriate clauses, phrases and words as to the user and reversion thereof as said City deems fit, and repeal all laws or parts of laws in conflict therewith.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Senator Connor—

S. B. No. 570—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the salary and office hours of the Supervisor of Registration of Citrus County, Florida.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And Senate Bills Nos. 505 and 570, contained in the above message, were referred to the Secretary of the Senate as Ex Officio Enrolling Clerk, for enrolling.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the Speaker of the House of Representatives has appointed Messrs. Moody of Hillsborough, McFarland of Gadsden and Fascell of Dade as a conference committee on the part of the House of Representatives to confer with a like committee on the part of the Senate to adjust the differences existing between the Senate and the House of Representatives on House Amendment to Senate Bill No. 274—

By the Committee on Appropriations—

S. B. No. 274—A bill to be entitled An Act making appropriations for the salaries of the officers and employees of the State and for the current operating expenses of the departments and branches of the State Government and for the capital outlay and repairs as provided for herein for the annual periods beginning July 1, 1953, and July 1, 1954.

(House Amendment attached to original S. B. No. 274.)

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

S. B. No. 274 attached.

The President announced the appointment of Senators Dayton, Fraser and Collins as the Conference Committee on the part of the Senate to confer with the like committee on

the part of the House of Representatives, to adjust the differences existing between the Senate and the House of Representatives on the House amendment to Senate Bill No. 274, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Pope withdrew Senate Bill No. 79.

The following message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953.

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Messrs. Fascell, Floyd and Okell of Dade, Williams and Cleveland of Seminole—

H. B. No. 30—A bill to be entitled An Act making the holding, owning, or having in possession of or paying the tax for a Federal Wagering Occupational Tax Stamp prima facie evidence of violation of the Florida laws against gambling.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 30, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 30 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953.

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted—

By the Committee on Education—Higher Learning—

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 846—A RESOLUTION RELIEVING THE STATE BOARD OF CONTROL OF CERTAIN PROCEDURES AS TO ISSUANCE OF REVENUE CERTIFICATES FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A DORMITORY AND RENOVATION OF DORMITORIES AT THE INSTITUTION NOW KNOWN AS FLORIDA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL COLLEGE AND TO BE HEREAFTER KNOWN AS FLORIDA AGRICULTURAL AND MECHANICAL UNIVERSITY.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA THE SENATE CONCURRING:

The State Board of Control is hereby relieved of the duty of reporting to and securing the approval of the Legislature as contemplated by House Bill 323 for the issuance of nine hundred thousand dollars (\$900,000) in revenue certificates for the construction of a dormitory to house three hundred (300) students and for the renovation of three existing dormitories at the institution, now known as Florida Agricultural and Mechanical College and to be hereafter known as Florida Agricultural and Mechanical University for the payment of which revenue certificates the revenues from its rental of the four dormitories is authorized to be pledged.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 846, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on State Institutions.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 8, 1953.

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has adopted—

By the Committee on Education—Higher Learning—

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO 843—A RESOLUTION RELIEVING THE STATE BOARD OF CONTROL OF CERTAIN PROCEDURES AS TO ISSUANCE OF REVENUE CERTIFICATES FOR CONSTRUCTION OF DORMITORIES AT THE UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA THE SENATE CONCURRING:

The State Board of Control is hereby relieved of the duty of reporting to and securing the approval of the Legislature as contemplated by House Bill 323 for the issuance of one million six hundred thousand dollars (\$1,600,000) in revenue certificates for the construction of sixteen (16) small dormitories to house six hundred forty (640) students at the University of Florida, for the payment of which revenue certificates the revenues from rental of the sixteen (16) dormitories is authorized to be pledged.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Concurrent Resolution No. 843, contained in the above message, was read the first time in full and referred to the Committee on State Institutions.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 8, 1953

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Messrs. Elliott and Bollinger of Palm Beach, Fee of St. Lucie, Peeples of Glades, Stewart of Hendry, Stimmell of Martin, Zelmenovitz of Okeechobee and Smith of Indian River—

H. B. No. 896—A bill to be entitled An Act transferring the fee simple title to Section 15, Township 40 South, Range 42 East, in Martin County, Florida, from the Florida State Board of Parks and Memorials to Gulf Stream Council, Boy Scouts of America.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 896, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Crary moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 896 be placed on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading, without reference.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 8, 1953

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Messrs. Varn of Hernando, Ayres of Marion, Turlington of Alachua, David of Broward, Cleveland of Seminole, Gleaton of Citrus, Mahon of Duval, Costin of Gulf, Williams of Pasco and McFarlin of Jackson—

H. B. No. 52—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 317.06, Florida Statutes, relating to traffic control signal legends and devices and the regulation of traffic on highways.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

And House Bill No. 52, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and referred to the Committee on Transportation and Traffic.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 8, 1953

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 951—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing the City of Key West, Florida, a municipal corporation under the laws of the State of Florida, to convey in fee simple to Arthur Sawyer Post # 28, American Legion, Department of Florida, Monroe County, State of Florida, certain land and improvements thereon on Stock Island in Monroe County, Florida, for the consideration of one dollar; and empowering the City Commission of the City of Key West, Florida to effect such conveyance.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Mr. Campbell of Okaloosa—

H. B. No. 957—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the City of Niceville, Okaloosa County, Florida; amending Chapter 20001, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1939, as amended, the same being the charter of the City of Niceville, by extending the boundaries and redefining the territorial limits; and providing the effective date of this Act.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Mr. Jones of Collier—

H. B. No. 961—A bill to be entitled: An Act to abolish the Charter of the Town of Everglades, in Collier County, Florida,

and to grant a new charter for the "City of Everglades" in Collier County created under this Act; to define its boundaries, jurisdiction, powers, privileges and immunities; to confirm the title to all city property including all riparian and foreshore rights, the title to all the tide water and other lands and river bottoms; to validate all taxes and other assessments and levies heretofore made; to preserve the validity and binding force of all debts, obligations and liabilities of the former Town of Everglades, and to continue the same as the debts and liabilities of the City of Everglades created by this Act, and to preserve the validity and binding force of all credits and assets of the former Town of Everglades and to continue the same as the credits and assets of the City of Everglades created by this Act; fixing the time when this Act shall take effect; and to provide for the election and compensation of the city officials authorized by this Act; creating a municipal court and defining its powers and jurisdiction; creating a municipal corporation in the State of Florida to be known as the City of Everglades, and granting unto it specific and general power and authority incident and necessary to the running and operation of a municipal corporation.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 951 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 951, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 951 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 951 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 951 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 951 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 951 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 951 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 957 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 957, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 957 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 957 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 957 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 957 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 957 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 957 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 961 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 961, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 961 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 961 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 961 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 961 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 961 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 961 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,

May 8, 1953

Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 948—A bill to be entitled An Act providing a salary of three hundred dollars per month for the constable of the Third Justice District in Monroe County, Florida; providing the fund out of which said salary shall be paid and the time of payment; providing further that all fees and costs collected by the said constable shall be deposited in the depository of the county to the credit of the fine and forfeiture fund and said constable shall not be entitled to receive for his own use such fees and costs; that the salary provided for in this Act shall be in lieu of all fees; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict; and providing when Act shall take effect.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 949—A bill to be entitled An Act providing a salary of two thousand seven hundred dollars per annum for the Justice of the Peace in and for the Third Justice District in Monroe County, State of Florida, and fixing the time when and the fund out of which it shall be paid; providing that all fees and costs collected by the said Justice of the Peace shall be deposited in the depository of said county to the credit of the fine and forfeiture fund and said Justice shall not be entitled to receive for his own use such fees and costs; further providing that the said Justice of the Peace shall receive seventy-five dollars monthly toward expenses of operating office of said Justice; that the salary provided for in this Act shall be in lieu of all fees; repealing all laws and parts of laws, whether general or special, in conflict with this Act to the extent of such conflict; and providing when Act shall take effect.

Proof of Publication Attached.

Also—

By Mr. Papy of Monroe—

H. B. No. 950—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing allowance of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00) per month toward expense of operating Office of Juvenile Judge of Monroe County, Florida payable out of the fine and forfeiture fund of said county; providing Act shall be considered cumulative to other laws; and providing when Act shall take effect.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 948 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 948, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 948 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 948 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 948 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 948 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 948 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 948 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 949 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 949, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 949 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 949 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 949 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 949 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 949 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 949 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 950 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 950, contained in the above Message, was read the first time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 950 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 950 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Franklin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 950 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 950 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 950 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 950 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

The following Message from the House of Representatives was read:

Tallahassee, Florida,
May 8, 1953

*Hon. Charley E. Johns,
President of the Senate.
Sir:*

I am directed by the House of Representatives to inform the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed—

By Mr. Stokes of Bay—

H. B. No. 911—A bill to be entitled An Act creating and chartering a municipality to be known as the Town of Hiland Park, in Bay County, Florida, and to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges.

Proof of Publication Attached.

—and respectfully requests the concurrence of the Senate therein.

Respectfully,

LAMAR BLEDSOE,
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives.

Proof of publication of Notice was attached to House Bill No. 911 when it was introduced in the Senate, and evidence that such Notice has been published was established by the Senate, as required by Section 21, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Florida.

And House Bill No. 911, contained in the above message, was read the first time by title only and placed on the Calendar of Local Bills on Second Reading.

Senator Collins requested that he be shown as a co-introducer of Senate Bill No. 227, with Senator Carlton.

And it was so ordered.

Senator Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 568, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 568—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 19768, as amended, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1939, the same being "An Act to abolish the present municipality of the City of Daytona Beach, in the County of Volusia and State of Florida, and to create, establish and organize a municipality to be known and designated as the City of Daytona Beach, in Volusia County, State of Florida; to define its territorial boundaries and to provide for its government, jurisdiction, powers, franchises and privileges; and to provide for the appointment by the governor of the first members of the city commission;" establishing civil service requirements in certain positions in the service of the City of Daytona Beach, Florida; establishing a civil service board; providing rules and regulations for the operation of civil service; providing penalties and for-

feitures; repealing laws in conflict herewith; and providing when this law shall take effect.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 568 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 568 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 568 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 568 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 568 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 568 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 594, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 594—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section five (5) of Chapter 19768, Laws of Florida, 1939, entitled: "An Act to Abolish the Present Municipality of the City of Daytona Beach, and the County of Volusia in the State of Florida, and to Create, Establish and Organize a Municipality to Be Known and Designated as the City of Daytona Beach in Volusia County, State of Florida, to Define Its Territorial Boundaries and to Provide for the Appointment by the Governor of the First Members of the City Commission," by changing the boundary lines of certain zones therein set out.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 594 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 594 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 594 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 594 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 594 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Clarke	Franklin	Lewis
Baker	Collins	Gautier (28th)	Lindler
Beall	Connor	Gautier (13th)	McArthur
Black	Crary	Hodges	Melvin
Boyle	Davis	Houghton	Morrow
Branch	Dayton	Johnson	Pearce
Bronson	Douglas	King	Pope
Carlton	Floyd	Leaird	Ripley

Rodgers Shands Tapper
Rogells Sturgis

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 594 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 699, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 699—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 29 of Chapter 11466, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, same being an act entitled "An Act to abolish the present municipal government of the City of DeLand, Volusia County, Florida, and to organize, incorporate and establish a new city government for the same and to provide for its jurisdiction and powers" as amended by Chapter 18491, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1937, as amended by Chapter 22257, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1943, so as to provide for the appointment of the municipal judge by the city commission of the City of DeLand; fixing the term of the municipal judge and limiting the salary of the municipal judge.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 699 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 699 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 699 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 699 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 699 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 699 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 720, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 720—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 11,272, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925, entitled "An Act creating and incorporating a special tax district in Volusia County, Florida, to be known as the 'Halifax Hospital District', fixing and prescribing the boundaries of said district; providing for the governing and administration of the same; providing and defining the powers and purposes of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof; authorizing and empowering such board to establish, contract, operate and maintain such hospital or hospitals as may be established and constructed by said board in said district; authorizing and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of said district; authorizing and empowering such board to borrow money on the note or notes of said district; authorizing the providing for the levy and collection of taxes for the payment of the said bonds and

the interest thereon, and authorizing and providing for the levy and collection of additional taxes for the repair and maintenance of said hospital or hospitals; authorizing and providing generally the powers and duties of said board on its behalf" as amended, by amending Section 8 thereof so as to authorize the Board of Commissioners of said Halifax Hospital District to issue and sell, from time to time, bonds of said district in the total amount not exceeding two million five hundred thousand (\$2,500,000) dollars for the purpose of raising funds to establish, construct, improve, enlarge, operate and maintain hospital or hospitals; to build and construct an addition or additions thereto and to construct and build entirely a new hospital or hospitals as in its opinion are necessary in said district and providing that said bonds may be revenue bonds pledging only the revenue of said hospital or hospitals or may be bonds pledging the full faith and credit of said district and providing that no bonds pledging the full faith and credit of said district shall be issued unless and until after the same shall have been approved by a majority of the votes cast in an election in which a majority of the freeholders who are qualified electors residing in said district shall participate, to be held in the manner prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of the State of Florida, except refunding bonds issued exclusively for the purpose of refunding the bonds or interest thereon of said district and providing when said Act shall take effect.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 720 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 720 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 720 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 720 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 720 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 720 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 721, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 721—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 11,272, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1925 entitled "An Act creating and incorporating a special tax district in Volusia County, Florida, to be known as the 'Halifax Hospital District', fixing and prescribing the boundaries of said district; providing for the governing and administration of the same; providing and defining the powers and purposes of said district and of the Board of Commissioners thereof; authorizing and empowering such board to establish, contract, operate and maintain such hospital or hospitals as may be established and constructed by said board in said district; authorizing and providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of said district; authorizing and empowering such board to borrow money on the note or notes of said district; authorizing the providing for the levy and collection of taxes for the payment of the

said bonds and the interest thereon, and authorizing and providing for the levy and collection of additional taxes for the repair and maintenance of said hospital or hospitals; authorizing and providing generally the powers and duties of said board on its behalf" as amended, by adding thereto Section Fourteen-B (14-B), authorizing the Board of Commissioners of said district to build an addition or additions to said hospital known as the Halifax District Hospital and to levy against the taxable property within said district a tax not to exceed 1.75 mills on the dollar for two years only, to be collected and paid into the district building fund and used for the construction of said addition or additions to said hospital, and reducing the authority of said Board of Commissioners of said district to levy an annual tax of four mills for the maintenance, operation and repair of said hospital by the amount of millage levied for said addition or additions to said hospital during the years said levy for said addition or additions are made and to authorize said Board of Commissioners of said district to transfer any surplus or other unobligated funds or assets into said building fund for the construction of said addition or additions and to authorize said Board of Commissioners to borrow in the course of current governmental budgetary operations money not to exceed the sum of \$300,000.00 for a period of time not to exceed two years and to issue building fund notes payable within two years solely from said building fund and providing that the holder or holders of said building fund notes shall have no right, remedy or lien to collect the same or the unpaid balance thereof from the taxpayers of said district or said Board of Commissioners, and providing that said Act shall take effect immediately upon its becoming a law.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 721 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 721 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 721 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 721 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 721 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 721 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Gautier (28th) asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 728, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 728—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 40 and 41 of Chapter 22364, Laws of Florida, Special Acts of 1943, entitled: "An Act to Abolish the Present Municipality of the City of Lake Helen, in Volusia County, Florida, and to create, establish and organize a Municipality to be Known and Designated as the City of Lake Helen, in Volusia County, Florida; to Define Its Territorial Boundaries, and to Provide for Its Government, Jurisdiction, Powers, Franchises

and Privileges", relating to the filling of vacancies in the office of city commissioner or mayor commissioner.

Was taken up.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 728 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 728 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 728 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 728 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 728 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 728 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Morrow asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider House Bill No. 815, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

H. B. No. 815—A bill to be entitled An Act authorizing certain nonprofit social club to apply for alcoholic beverage club license in all counties of this state having a population of not less than one hundred thirteen thousand (113,000) and not more than one hundred fourteen thousand eight hundred fifty (114,850) inhabitants according to the latest official census, by providing waiver of certain requirements and limitations of Sections 561.20 and 561.34, Florida Statutes, in such counties.

Was taken up.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 815 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 815 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Morrow offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 815:

In Section 1, at the end of line 8, after the word "corporation," add the following: "and one nonprofit Veteran of Foreign Wars Post social club corporation"

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 815, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 815, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 815, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 815 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

SPECIAL AND CONTINUING ORDER

Senator Lewis moved that the rules be waived and the hour for consideration of Senate Bill No. 438, as a Special and Continuing Order of Business, be changed from 1:30 o'clock P. M., this day, to 10:00 o'clock A. M., Wednesday, May 13, 1953.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

Pursuant to the Special Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar, adopted on May 8, 1953, and the hour having arrived, the Senate took up for consideration House Bills on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading as a Special and Continuing Order of Business.

H. B. No. 49—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Assessment, Levying and Collection of Taxes upon the Estates of Decedents; Amending Chapter 198, Florida Statutes 1951; Providing for the Taxation of Certain Intangible Property of the Estates of Nonresident Decedents; Specifying When Estate Tax Returns Shall be Filed; Providing for the Time for Paying Estate Taxes; Fixing the Rate of Interest Payable on Delinquent Estate Taxes; Fixing the Time Within Which Estate Taxes Shall be Determined and Assessed; and Fixing the Time for Discharging Estates of Decedents from Estate Tax Liability.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 49 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 49 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 49 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 49 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 49 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—32.

Mr. President	Clarke	Hodges	Morrow
Baker	Collins	Houghton	Pearce
Beall	Connor	King	Pope
Black	Crary	Leaird	Ripley
Boyle	Davis	Lewis	Rodgers
Branch	Dayton	Lindler	Shands
Bronson	Douglas	McArthur	Sturgis
Carlton	Franklin	Melvin	Tapper

Nays—1.

Gautier (28th)

So House Bill No. 49 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Shands moved that the House of Representatives be requested to return Senate Bill No. 23 to the Senate.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

House Bill No. 342 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

House Bill No. 250 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

H. B. No. 138—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to public health; requiring reports of communicable diseases by certain practitioners of the healing arts to the State Board of Health, and providing penalty for failure to make such reports.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 138 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 138 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 138 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 138 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 138 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—29.

Mr. President	Collins	Johnson	Pearce
Baker	Crary	King	Pope
Beall	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Black	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Franklin	Lindler	Tapper
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	McArthur	
Carlton	Hodges	Melvin	
Clarke	Houghton	Morrow	

Nays—7.

Boyle	Davis	Ripley	Sturgis
Connor	Gautier (28th)	Rodgers	

So House Bill No. 138 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent, Senator Pearce withdrew Senate Bill No. 176.

H. B. No. 211—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the Florida Plumbing Control Act of 1951; amending Sections 553.05 (1), (3), (4), 553.07, 553.08 and 553.04 (3), Florida Statutes, relating to plumbing permits and inspectors, providing for exemption by Board of County Commissioners of certain municipalities and governing, service or sanitary districts from provisions of law governing county plumbing permits and inspectors and providing for such permits and inspectors within said exempted municipalities and districts, and amending form of bond to conform to same, and providing the effective date of this Act.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 211 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 211 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Davis offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 211:

In (typewritten bill) add the following: "The provisions of this Bill shall not apply to Madison County and Taylor County."

Senator Davis moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Branch moved that the rules be waived and the

further consideration of House Bill No. 211, as amended, be informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

H. B. No. 177—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 155.15, Florida Statutes, authorizing the Board of County Commissioners to determine the site or location of any county hospital; and procuring lands for same.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 177 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 177 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and the further consideration of House Bill No. 177 be informally passed, the Bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

H. B. No. 225—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to schools; amending Subsection (1) of Section 236.07, Florida Statutes, relating to the basis of distribution of the foundation program fund to the several counties and defining the ranks of teacher certificate holders; and repealing Section 231.22, Florida Statutes, providing that special certificates may be issued by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction in certain circumstances.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 225 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 225 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 225 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 225 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 225 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Connor	Hodges	Pearce
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Beall	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Black	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Boyle	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Branch	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Carlton	Franklin	Lindler	Sturgis
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	McArthur	Tapper
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 225 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 10—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to elections and the sufficiency of marking of ballots, and amending Section 101.011, Florida Statutes, 1951.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Baker moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 10 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 10 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Baker moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 10 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 10 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 10 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Connor	Hodges	Pearce
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Beall	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rodgers
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Rogells
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Shands
Carlton	Franklin	McArthur	Sturgis
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Tapper
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 10 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 353—A bill to be entitled An Act amending paragraph (d) of Subsection (1) of Section 210.21, Florida Statutes, relating to the tax on cigarettes; providing for reduction of municipal ad valorem tax millage; setting effective date.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 353 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 353 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 353:

In Section 1, line 9, (typewritten bill) strike out the word: "Five" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Three"

Senator Gautier (13th) moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Shands moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 353, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 353, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 353, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—26.

Baker	Collins	King	Ripley
Beall	Crary	Leaird	Rodgers
Boyle	Dayton	Lewis	Rogells
Branch	Floyd	McArthur	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Sturgis
Carlton	Houghton	Pearce	
Clarke	Johnson	Pope	

Nays—8.

Mr. President	Connor	Douglas	Melvin
Black	Davis	Hodges	Tapper

So House Bill No. 353 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives immediately, by waiver of the rule.

H. B. No. 51—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 604.20, Florida Statutes, relating to bonds required of dealers in agricultural products.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Dayton moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 51 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 51 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Dayton moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 51 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 51 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 51 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Dayton	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Douglas	King	Rodgers
Black	Floyd	Lewis	Rogells
Branch	Franklin	McArthur	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Clarke	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 51 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 142—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to County Free Public Libraries; amending Chapter 150, Florida Statutes, by adding Section 150.071 thereto, amending Sections 150.06 and 150.08 and repealing Sections 150.09 and 150.10; authorizing municipalities to enter into contract with County Library Boards for assistance in operating municipal libraries; authorizing the acceptance of gifts and bequests by County Library Boards; providing for a free County Library Fund and limiting expenditures therefrom; eliminating necessity for referendum election as a prerequisite to establishment of such libraries.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 142 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 142 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on Appropriations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 142:

In Section 1, (typewritten bill) strike out the words:

"(2) Any municipality, owning a free public library in said county may enter into a contract with the county library board to receive the service of books and technical assistance from the county library upon such terms as may be agreed upon the county library board and the board of trustees of the municipal library, or the legislative body of the municipality if there be no board of trustees."

and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"(2) Any municipality or any nonprofit library corporation or association owning a free public library in said county may enter into a contract with the county library board to receive the service of books and technical assistance from the county library upon such terms as may be agreed upon by the county library board and the governing body of the library contracting therewith."

Senator Collins moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on Appropriations also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 142:

In Section 1, line 9, (typewritten bill) after the word "municipality" add the following: "or with any nonprofit library corporation or association"

Senator Collins moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be further waived

and House Bill No. 142, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 142, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 142, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—37.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Davis	King	Rodgers
Black	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Boyle	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 142 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

Senator Collins asked unanimous consent of the Senate to take up and consider Senate Bill No. 65, out of its order.

Which was agreed to.

S. B. No. 65—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for State aid to Counties maintaining a free public library or library service; prescribing certain duties and authorities in dispensing such funds and in establishing standards of library services to be maintained by recipients of such State aid; making appropriation for such aid and prescribing the ratio of contributions thereof to the Counties on the basis of matching County funds.

Was taken up.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 65 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 65 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Collins moved that the rules be further waived and Senate Bill No. 65 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 65 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of Senate Bill No. 65 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—26.

Mr. President	Crary	Johnson	Pope
Baker	Davis	King	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	Leaird	Rodgers
Black	Floyd	Lewis	Rogells
Branch	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Shands
Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—11.

Boyle	Clarke	Houghton	Sturgis
Bronson	Douglas	McArthur	Tapper
Carlton	Franklin	Melvin	

So Senate Bill No. 65 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 346—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Sections 6, 8, 9, 10, and 13 of Chapter 446, Florida Statutes 1951, relating to apprentices by providing for an apprenticeship department, a policy making apprenticeship council, and making this act effective July 1, 1953.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 346 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 346 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Melvin moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 346 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 346 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 346 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—33.

Mr. President	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Baker	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Beall	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Black	Floyd	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Franklin	McArthur	Sturgis
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Clarke	Hodges	Pearce	
Collins	Houghton	Pope	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 346 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Melvin withdrew Senate Bill No. 232.

H. B. No. 201—A bill to be entitled An Act to repeal Section 241.47, Florida Statutes, creating the University of South Florida.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 201 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 201 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 201 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 201 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 201 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—28.

Mr. President	Collins	Hodges	Pearce
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Beall	Dayton	Johnson	Ripley
Black	Douglas	King	Rodgers
Branch	Floyd	Leaird	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	Sturgis
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	Tapper

Nays—2.

Franklin Rogells

So House Bill No. 201 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Leaird withdrew Senate Bill No. 222.

House Bill No. 340 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

House Bill No. 341 was taken up in its order and the consideration thereof was informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

H. B. No. 58—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to the records kept by the clerks of the circuit courts; providing for an alternative system of one general book and one index thereto; providing that certified copies of this one "official records" book become a lien or notice in the same manner as other records now kept.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 58 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 58 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Leaird moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 58 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 58 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 58 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—31.

Mr. President	Connor	Houghton	Pope
Baker	Crary	Johnson	Ripley
Beall	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Black	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Shands
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Sturgis
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	Tapper
Collins	Hodges	Pearce	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 58 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 113—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 145.01, Florida Statutes, relating to compensation of county officials, providing any such county official shall receive as his yearly salary for his official services from the whole or part of the fees, or commissions so collected, the following sum only, all the net income from such office not to exceed seven thousand five hundred (\$7,500.00) dollars, and providing for retroactive operation of this Act as of January 1, 1953.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 113 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 113 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Pearce moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 113 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 113 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 113 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—33.

Mr. President	Connor	Johnson	Ripley
Baker	Crary	King	Rodgers
Beall	Dayton	Leaird	Rogells
Black	Douglas	Lewis	Shands
Branch	Floyd	Lindler	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	Melvin	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	
Clarke	Hodges	Pearce	
Collins	Houghton	Pope	

Nays—1.

Gautier (28th)

So House Bill No. 113 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 22—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Section 283.02, Florida Statutes, relating to public printing contracts by authorizing a member of the Florida Legislature to receive such a contract when submitting the lowest competitive bid therefor.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 22 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 22 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 22 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 22 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 22 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Crary	Houghton	Ripley
Baker	Dayton	Johnson	Rodgers
Beall	Douglas	King	Rogells
Black	Floyd	Leaird	Shands
Bronson	Franklin	Lewis	Sturgis
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Pearce	
Collins	Hodges	Pope	

Nays—1.

Branch

So House Bill No. 22 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 295—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 125, Florida Statutes, 1951, relating to powers and duties of county commissioners, by adding a section at the end thereof granting power to the Boards of County Commissioners of the several counties to make regulations for the government of county parks, bathing beaches, recreation areas and the like, prescribing methods of enforcement and penalties for the violation thereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 295 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 295 was read the second time by title only.

The Committee on County Organizations offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 295:

In Section 125.46, Subsection (1), line 5, (typewritten bill) after the words: "Bathing Beaches" insert the following: "Waterways"

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on County Organizations also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 295:

At the end of (typewritten bill) add a new section to read as follows:

"This Act shall become effective immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor or upon becoming a law without such approval."

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

The Committee on County Organizations also offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 295:

In the title, line 7, (typewritten bill) after the words: "Bathing Beaches" insert the following: "Waterways"

Senator Morrow moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Morrow moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 295, as amended, be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 295, as amended, was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 295, as amended, the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—35.

Mr. President	Collins	Gautier (13th)	Morrow
Baker	Connor	Hodges	Pope
Beall	Crary	Houghton	Ripley
Black	Davis	Johnson	Rodgers
Boyle	Dayton	King	Rogells
Branch	Douglas	Leaird	Shands
Bronson	Floyd	Lewis	Sturgis
Carlton	Franklin	Lindler	Tapper
Clarke	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	

Nays—None.

So House Bill No. 295 passed, as amended, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 245—A bill to be entitled An Act to provide for the purchase and distribution, as provided by Section 585.32, Florida Statutes, of hog cholera anti-serum and virus and vaccine; and making an appropriation therefor.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Black moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 245 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 245 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Black moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 245 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 245 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 245 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—34.

Mr. President	Connor	Hodges	Pearce
Baker	Crary	Houghton	Pope
Beall	Davis	Johnson	Ripley
Black	Dayton	King	Rodgers
Boyle	Douglas	Leaird	Rogells
Branch	Floyd	Lewis	Sturgis
Bronson	Franklin	Lindler	Tapper
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow	

Nays—2.

Collins Shands

So House Bill No. 245 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 101—A bill to be entitled An Act to amend Chapter 553, Florida Statutes 1951, by adding thereto a new section to be numbered 553.13, providing that no bond shall be required of plumbing contractors in any county in which

the Board of County Commissioners fails to employ a plumbing inspector; repealing all laws in conflict herewith and providing for the effective date hereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 101 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 101 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Sturgis moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 101 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 101 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 101 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—30.

Mr. President	Collins	Hodges	Pearce
Baker	Connor	Houghton	Ripley
Beall	Crary	Johnson	Rodgers
Boyle	Davis	King	Rogells
Branch	Douglas	Leaird	Shands
Bronson	Floyd	Lewis	Sturgis
Carlton	Gautier (28th)	Lindler	
Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Melvin	

Nays—4.

Dayton	Franklin	Pope	Tapper
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So House Bill No. 101 passed, title as stated, and the action of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

H. B. No. 233—A bill to be entitled An Act amending Section 469.04, Florida Statutes, 1949, relating to the examination of persons engaged or engaging in the business or work of installing plumbing or house drainage; providing for the examination of applicants desiring to engage in or work at the business of plumbing; providing for the fees to be paid for issuance of a certificate for master plumbers, employing plumbers and journeyman plumbers; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act,

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 233 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 233 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (13th) moved that the rules be further waived and House Bill No. 233 be read the third time in full and put upon its passage.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 233 was read the third time in full.

Upon the passage of House Bill No. 233 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—25.

Mr. President	Collins	Gautier (28th)	Lindler
Baker	Connor	Gautier (13th)	Morrow
Beall	Crary	Hodges	Rodgers
Boyle	Davis	Johnson	Shands
Bronson	Douglas	King	
Carlton	Floyd	Leaird	
Clarke	Franklin	Lewis	

Nays—8.

Dayton	McArthur	Pope	Rogells
Houghton	Pearce	Ripley	Sturgis

So House Bill No. 233 passed, title as stated, and the action

of the Senate was ordered certified to the House of Representatives.

By unanimous consent Senator Gautier (13th) withdrew Senate Bill No. 453.

H. B. No. 556—A bill to be entitled An Act relating to assistant state attorneys; to provide for abolishing the offices of assistant state attorneys and to prescribe when they shall stand abolished; to provide for the appointment of assistant state attorneys, and for the revocation of such appointments, by the state attorneys; to prescribe the powers, duties, tenure and compensation of assistant state attorneys appointed under authority of this Act; providing a rule for the construction of this Act; repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act; and to provide the effective date hereof, excepting the First, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Ninth Judiciary Circuits from the operation hereof.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and House Bill No. 556 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And House Bill No. 556 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Gautier (28th) offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 556:

In Section 2, (typewritten bill) insert the following at the end of Section 2: "Provided, however, that all such appointments of Assistant State Attorneys made pursuant to this Act shall require confirmation by the Senate and a complete list of such appointments shall be submitted by the State Comptroller to the Senate on the first day of the session following such appointments, and if made during the session shall be submitted to the Senate on the day following the receipt of a certified copy of such appointment by the State Comptroller."

Senator Gautier (28th) moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Ripley offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 556:

In Section 5, line 8 after the word "Walton," strike out the words "nor to the Fourth Judicial Circuit consisting of Duval, Nassau and Clay Counties,"

Senator Ripley moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Houghton offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 556:

In Section 5, line 12 (typewritten bill), strike out the words: "Nor to the Sixth Judicial Circuit of Florida consisting of Pinellas and Pasco Counties." and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Nor to the Sixth Judicial Circuit of Florida, consisting of Pinellas and Pasco Counties, except as to Pinellas County, it being specifically provided, however, that any assistant state attorney required by law to reside in Pasco County or who does reside in Pasco County shall be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate as heretofore required by law."

Senator Houghton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Pope offered the following amendment to House Bill No. 556:

In Section 5, line 13, (typewritten bill) add the following: "nor to the Seventh Judicial Circuit consisting of Flagler, Putnam, St. Johns and Volusia Counties."

Senator Pope moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Ripley moved that the rules be waived and the further consideration of House Bill No. 556, as amended, be

informally passed, the bill retaining its place on the Calendar of Bills on Second Reading.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

SEPCIAL AND CONTINUING ORDER

Pursuant to the motion made by Senator Dayton on May 8, 1953, and the hour having arrived, the Senate took up for consideration Senate Bill No. 671, as a Special and Continuing Order of Business.

S. B. No. 671—A bill to be entitled An Act setting a limitation upon the salaries which may be paid to certain officers and employees of the State of Florida for the annual periods beginning July 1, of each year.

Was taken up in its order.

Senator Dayton moved that the rules be waived and Senate Bill No. 671 be read the second time by title only.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote.

And Senate Bill No. 671 was read the second time by title only.

Senator Dayton offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 671:

In Section 2, line 1 (typewritten bill), strike out the words: "The annual salary, or combined salaries, or other compensation for services to be paid from state funds, of the following state officers or employees shall not exceed the following amounts for each fiscal year beginning July 1," and insert in lieu thereof the following: "The annual salary, or combined salaries, or other compensation for services (not including perquisites) to be paid from any funds, except salary supplements derived from county funds, of the following state officers or employees shall not exceed the following amounts for each fiscal year beginning July 1."

Senator Dayton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Dayton also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 671:

In Section 2, line 13 (typewritten bill), strike out the word: "Council" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "Counsel".

Senator Dayton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Dayton also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 671:

In Section 2, line 66—Industrial Commission (typewritten bill) strike out the words:

"Director, Workmen's Compensation Division.....	7,500.00
Director, Employment Security Division.....	8,400.00
Director, Unemployment Compensation Division.....	8,400.00"

and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Director, Workmen's Compensation Division.....	9,000.00
Director, Employment Security Division.....	9,000.00
Director, Unemployment Compensation Division.....	9,000.00"

Senator Dayton moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Tapper offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 671:

In (typewritten bill) strike out all of Section 1 and insert in lieu thereof the following:

"Section 1 (a) The annual salary of the following state officers or employees shall be in the following amounts for each fiscal year beginning July 1:

Governor	\$20,000.00
Attorney General	15,000.00
Comptroller	15,000.00
Commissioner of Agriculture	15,000.00
Secretary of State	15,000.00
Superintendent of Public Instruction	15,000.00

Treasurer	15,000.00
Supreme Court Justices serving full time in active duty	15,000.00
Parole Commissioners	7,500.00

(b) Justices of the Supreme Court who have already retired under Chapter 17086, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, shall not receive retirement pay of more than ten thousand (\$10,000) dollars each per annum.

(c) Justices of the Supreme Court who hereafter retire under Chapter 17086, Laws of Florida, Acts of 1935, shall not receive retirement pay of more than twelve thousand five hundred (\$12,500) dollars each per annum."

Senator Tapper moved the adoption of the amendment.

A roll call was demanded.

Upon the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Tapper to Senate Bill No. 671 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—20.

Baker	Clarke	Johnson	Morrow
Beall	Crary	King	Rodgers
Black	Floyd	Leaird	Shands
Boyle	Franklin	Lewis	Sturgis
Branch	Gautier (13th)	Lindler	Tapper

Nays—17.

Mr. President	Davis	Houghton	Ripley
Bronson	Dayton	McArthur	Rogells
Carlton	Douglas	Melvin	
Collins	Gautier (28th)	Pearce	
Connor	Hodges	Pope	

So the amendment was adopted.

Pending further consideration of Senate Bill No. 671, Senator Dayton moved that the rules be waived and the time of adjournment be extended until final roll call on Senate Bill No. 671.

Which was agreed to by a two-thirds vote and it was so ordered.

Pending further consideration of Senate Bill No. 671, Senator King moved that the Senate hold afternoon sessions on Tuesday and Wednesday, May 12 and 13, 1953, from 3:00 o'clock, P. M. until 5:00 o'clock, P. M.

Which was agreed to and it was so ordered.

Senator Tapper offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 671:

In Section 2, line 6, (typewritten bill) strike out the figures: "\$7,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$10,000.00."

Senator Tapper moved the adoption of the amendment.

A roll call was demanded.

Upon the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Tapper to Senate Bill No. 671 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—24.

Mr. President	Carlton	Franklin	Lindler
Baker	Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Morrow
Beall	Collins	Johnson	Rodgers
Black	Crary	King	Shands
Boyle	Dayton	Leaird	Sturgis
Branch	Floyd	Lewis	Tapper

Nays—13.

Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Melvin	Rogells
Connor	Hodges	Pearce	
Davis	Houghton	Pope	
Douglas	McArthur	Ripley	

So the amendment was adopted.

Senator Tapper also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 671:

In Section 2, line 7, (typewritten bill) strike out the figures: "\$7,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$10,000.00."

Senator Tapper moved the adoption of the amendment.

A roll call was demanded.

Upon the adoption of the amendment offered by Senator Tapper to Senate Bill No. 671 the roll was called and the vote was:

Yeas—20.

Baker	Clarke	Gautier (13th)	Lindler
Beall	Collins	Johnson	Morrow
Black	Crary	King	Shands
Branch	Dayton	Leaird	Sturgis
Carlton	Franklin	Lewis	Tapper

Nays—17.

Mr. President	Douglas	McArthur	Rodgers
Boyle	Floyd	Melvin	Rogells
Bronson	Gautier (28th)	Pearce	
Connor	Hodges	Pope	
Davis	Houghton	Ripley	

So the amendment was adopted.

Senator Tapper also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 671:

In Section 2, line 8, (typewritten bill) strike out the figures: "\$7,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$10,000.00"

Senator Tapper moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Senator Tapper also offered the following amendment to Senate Bill No. 671:

In Section 2, line 9, (typewritten bill) strike out the figures: "\$7,500.00" and insert in lieu thereof the following: "\$10,000.00"

Senator Tapper moved the adoption of the amendment.

Which was agreed to and the amendment was adopted.

Pending further amendment of Senate Bill No. 671, Senator Ripley moved that the Senate adjourn.

Which was agreed to.

And the Senate stood adjourned at 5:22 o'clock P. M., until 9:30 o'clock A. M., Tuesday, May 12, 1953, pursuant to the Report of the Committee on Rules and Calendar adopted by the Senate on May 8, 1953.